

# California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Saturday, February 23, 2019  
9:00 AM PST

Day 1: Very cold morning temperatures expected statewide. Rain and low level snowfall will return late tonight to Northern CA

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# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**02/23/19 - 03/01/19**

## **Saturday-Thursday**

- Rain and snow moving into northern CA late today through Thursday.
- Snow levels down to 2500-3000 feet initially, then increasing to 4500 feet and higher
- The heaviest rain will fall Monday and Tuesday. Rivers and streams will run high but no significant impacts are expected.
- Rainfall rates are not expected to exceed debris flow thresholds at this time.

## **Friday-Saturday**

- Drier and warmer. No impacts expected.



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

02/23/19 - 03/01/19

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds							
Snow	Coastal/ Nrn Inland	Coasta/ Nrn Inland	Coastal/ Nrn Inland	Coastal/ Nrn Inland	Inland		
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding			Nrn Inland	Nrn Inland	Nrn Inland		
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Extreme Cold	All Regions	All Regions	All Regions				



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



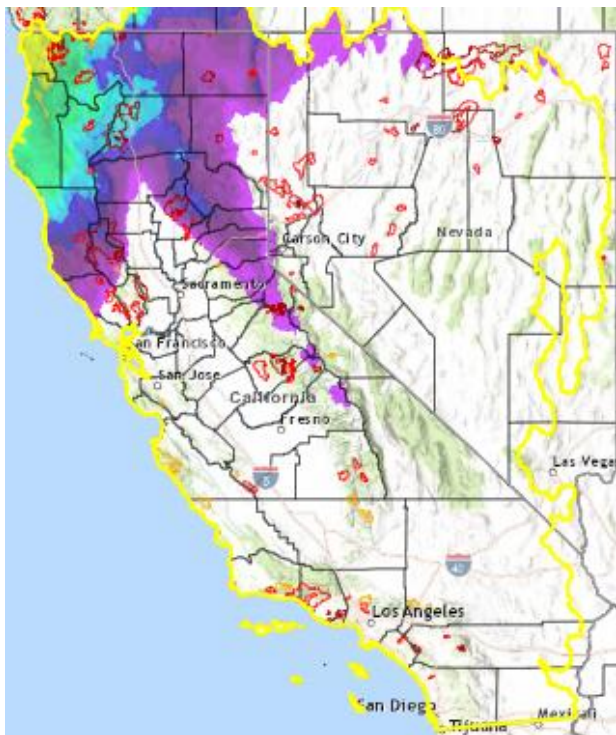
Moderate Impacts



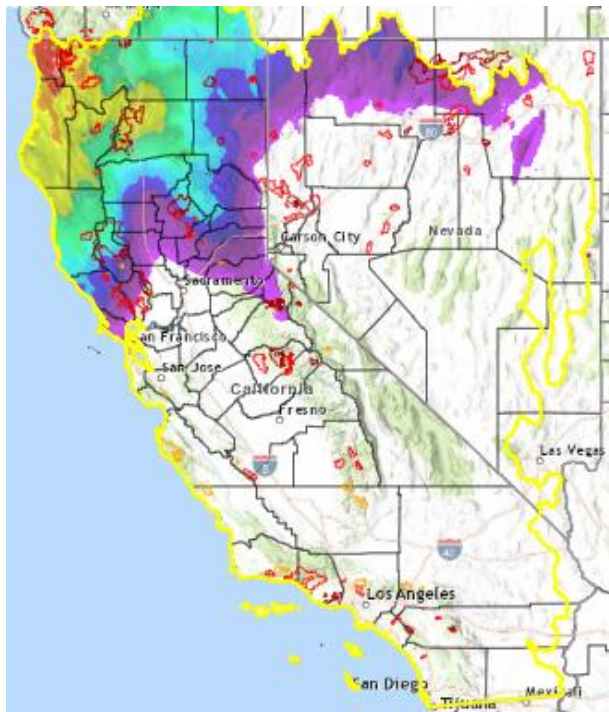
Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

02/23/19 - 03/01/19



**Today**



**Sunday**



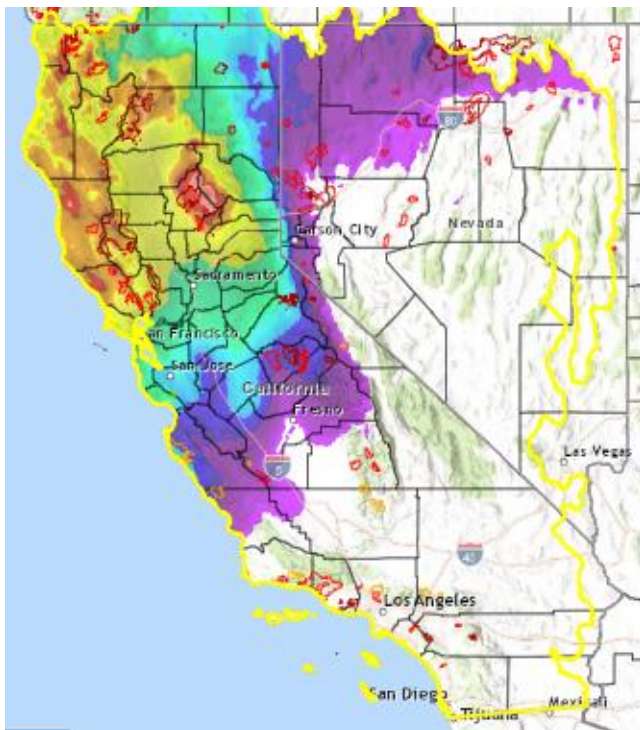
**Monday**

**Precipitation (inches)**

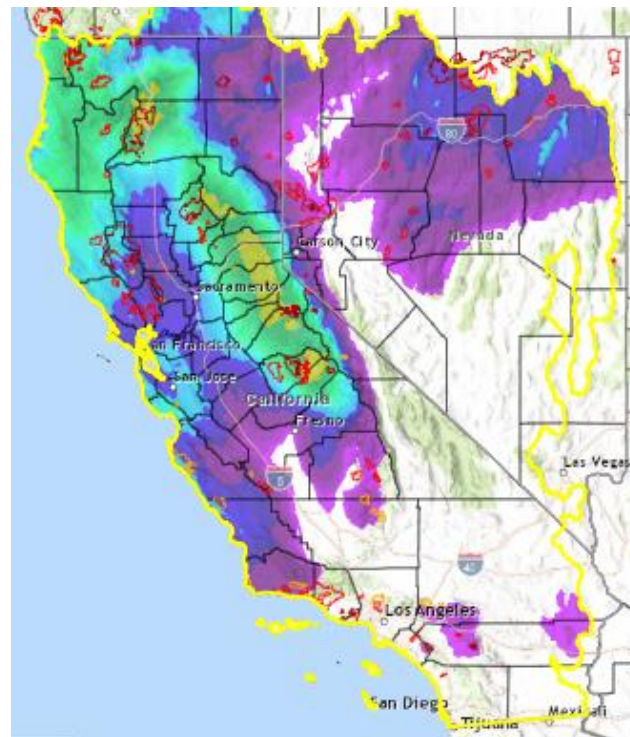


# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

03/01 – 03/02



**Tuesday**



**Wednesday**

**Precipitation (inches)**



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**02/28/19 - 03/08/19**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (Feb 28 – Mar 04)**

### **Temperatures**

- Moderate confidence for above average temperatures statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Low confidence in above average precipitation statewide

## **8-14 Day Outlook (Mar 2 – Mar 08)**

### **Temperatures**

- Low confidence in above normal temperatures across southern CA and near normal over Northern CA

### **Precipitation**

- Moderate confidence in above normal precipitation statewide





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